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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Stefan REH et al.

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Title: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
FORMING A TEAR LINE IN AN
AIRBAG COVER, AND THE
COVER THEREOF

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 17, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

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In the Claims

Please cancel claim 6 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the claims by substituting the following clean version as indicated below. The changes are shown explicitly in the attached "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."